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FOREIGN AFFAIRS

WEATHER TO-DAY-UNSETTLED

PRICE TWO CENTS:

# REBELS REPULSED AT TORREON WITH GREAT SLAUGHTER

Said to Be Retreating, With Federals Pounding at Rear.

# THEIR LOSSES REPORTED 2,000

Generals Maas and De Moure Arrive With Reinforcements in Automobiles and Add Greatly to Victory-Meagre Advice From Front Are Mixed in Character.

Mexico City, March 25 .- The War partment makes the claim that the with great slaughter early to-Eight hundred men, under Gen-

that territory the Federal artillery shelled them out, the cavalry charging as the rebels started to retreat. Gen-erals Maas and De Moure are reported the railroad having been cut at Hipo-lito. The rebel losses in dead and wounded are reported to be \$000.

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# WEDDING CAUSES SURPRISE

Divorced Wife of Kingsley Swan Becomen Third Wife of Robert Graven.

I Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

New York, March 25.—Mabel Lorraine Miller Swan, divorced in Reno twelve days ago from Kingsley Swan, was married to-day to Robert Graves, millionaire wall paper manufacturer, of Brooklyn. The ceremony was performed at the home of Alvah Miller, father of the bride, in Brooklyn, by Rev. James M. Farrar, D. D., of the Old First Reformed Church.

The wedding was a complete surprise to friends of both bride and bridegroom, only a few of whom were invited to attend the ceremony. The new Mrs. Graves, who is her husband's third wife, is not yet twenty-five. Mr. Graves is fifty-seven.

Mr. Graves was born to moderate wealth, and married Charlotte de Grasse Catlin, niece of Brigadier-General Catlin, of Civil War fame, and a niece of former Secretary of the Navy Benjamin F. Tracy. He was divorced from her in 1969, after fourteen years of married life. In January 1964, he and Mrs. Margaret Loughman Plant, widow of Henry E. Plant, founder of the Plant System, were secretly married. Mrs. Plant a year before had been awarded \$9,000,000 as her dower right in the estate of her husband after a spectacular legal fight. They lived happily for five years, and when Mrs. Graves died on May 29, 1969, she left the bulk of her fortune to her husband, who was married to-day for the third time.

# NO DELAY BY GOVERNMENT

Suit Against North Atlautic Steamship
Pool Will be Pressed.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
New York, March 25.—It was decided at a conference in Washington to-day that the administration would brook no delay in the hearing on the government's suit against the North Atlantic steamship pool.

The decision was reached at a meeting between Attorney-General McReynolds, United States Attorney H. Snowden Marshall, of New York, March 25.—William J. Burns to-night returned from Atlanta. Ga., where he has been for two weeks engaged in an investigation of the killing of fourteen-year-old Mary Phasam, for which Leo M. Frank was tried and convicted.

The argument on the dissolution of the pool will be heard in the United States Circuit Court of Appeals on April 17. The steamship companies asked that this argument be delayed in the Alexander act should reach some definite form.

This act contemplates the creation of

Cuban, fourteen years old, and this is the third time in his young experience that he had attempted to enter port as contraband human merchandise. A year ago he was brought here on one of the Lamport and Holt steamers. On that occasion, when the vessel was a day out from Havana, he was found floating on a cocoanut palm and there was nothing for the vessel's captain to do but carry him on to New York.

It was then found that he had tried to run through the immigration lines a year before. He was sent back by the immigration authorities, and will go back this time on the Hippolyte Dumois.

STIR IN BERLIN CIRCLES

couple of things here in connection with the case. Detective Biddinger and I will go back to-morrow or Friday, and we will be ready within a day or two to make the result of our work known."

Mr. Eurns talked with Leonard Hass, of counsel for Frank, Immediately after his arrival at his office. Mr. Haas said later that Burns had reported enough to make it certain that no court on earth could refuse to grant a new trial.

"The evidence Mr. Burns has uncerthed," he said, "will be the basis of an extraordinary motion for a new trial, to be filed the latter part of this week."

Federals Leave Guerrero,
Zapata, Mexico, March 25—(via Rider to Laredo, Texas).—Monday's battle at Guerrero, near here, resulted in the retreat of the Federals under General Guardiola, numbering about 900 men.
Guardiola stationed 100 men on houselops at 1 o'clock in the morning

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Hesith of Heir to Russian Throne Hashing Throne (Instead of Frank, and Burns himself is in New York working a new angle of the case. According to William M. Smith, who represents the negro, Jim Conley, he is receiving no remuneration. Smith causing much anxiety. Because of this says when Conley made the first of leave for the Crimea on April 7, immediately after the visit of the Roumanian royal guests.

The Carr is not expected to return to the capital until early in Juno, (Continued On Third Page.)

# MYSTERY IN FRANK CASE IS CLEARED, **DECLARES BURNS**

HeSaysThereNoLonger Is Doubt as to Real Murderer.

# MUCH GRATIFIED AT HIS SUCCESS

Evidence Unearthed by Detective Will Be Basis of Extraordinary Motion for New Trial. Miss Jane Addams Urges Club Women to Protest Against Execution.

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Steamer's Hold Among Bananas.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

New York, March 25.—We have with us again Herminus Sendres. He arrived to-day on the steamer Hippolyte bumols, in from the rum-scented breezes in the West Indies. A few days out of Havana Herminus was discovered in the hold among the bananas.

Herminus is one of the most intrepld invaders of this country, the is a Cuban, fourteen years old, and this is the third time in his young experience that he had attempted to enter and I will go back to-morrow or Friends.

# SLEMP DISCUSSES IRVINE

Thinks Democratic Nominee in Ninth Has No Chance of Election.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Washington, March 25.—Congressman Slemp, of the Ninth Virginia District, who returned to Washington today, after an absence of about ten day, declared in an interview that It Tate Irvine, nominated to run against Slemp, or his successor in the Ninth District, has no chance of election; that he was no chance of election; that he was nominated by the "machine" leaders, and not through any response to the demand of the people of the Ninth District.

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"Mr. Irvine is a gentleman of high character, and ranks among the best lawyers in Southwest Virginia," said Congressman Stemp. "He has long been anxious, to go to Congress when the time wits ripe. He was not nominated in response to any demand on the part of the people for his nomination, but through the work of the "machine" leaders of the Democratic party. The delegates to the Bristol convention wanted a man to hold up their organization in the State. They selected Mr. Irvine. While a good debater, Mr. Irvine Is by nature not close to the people, nor does he, in my judgment, have any chance of election."

In regard to the divorce suit recently filed against him by his wife Mr. Slemp sold that he "recrected the situation, but it seemed unavoidable." He said his attorney would file an answer to the suit.

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Final Preparations for

# DIRECTORS APPROVE PLAN

Call Meeting of New Baven Stockholders to Pass on Agreement.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

New York, March 25.—The directors of the New Haven system to-day manimously approved the agreement which has been made by Chairman Elliott with the government, under which the System would be divorced from the Boston and Maine, its trolley roads, and steamship lines without a long drawn out fight in the courts. This is the agreement which was announced in Washington on Saturday under which stock of the subsidiary concerns will be transferred over to a series of trustceships for disposal. concerns will be transferred ever to a series of trusteeships for disposal. By resolution the board called a meeting of stockholders to pass on the agreement, which will be held in Harmonia Hall, New Haven, April 21 at noon. The problem which immediately concerns the management of the system is the necessity for meeting \$15,006,000 of notes which fall due on May 18. The issue of dehentures with which it was proposed to take up these notes was refused by the Massachusetts Public Service Board. The finance committee of the New Haven, Mr. Elliott said to-day, is at work on this problem now.

ENCOUNTERS MORE TROUBLE

Rockefeller Must Construct Special
Structure to Carry Hugh Monolith.
The Elis Repeal Discussed.

Tolls Repeal Discussed.

sives aligned on both sides of the con-troversy were agreed that the contest would be the most spirited of any re-Times-Dispatch.

The coupon counts for only one vote-no more, no less. cont struggle in Congress.
Conservative estimates by Representative Adamson, who will lead the fight for the repeal forces, and other leaders aligned with the opposition to-day

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# PRESENT PLAN BY MONDAY

Government Will Put End to Present

# A. C. L. WHARVES DESTROYED

Fire at Savannah Causes Damage Es-

ing controversy relating to repeal of the toll exemption for American ships passing through the Panama Canal. The President, it is understood, told the Senator that the Mexican situation had undergone no change.

Treated as Hero, Because of Fame for Conquering Tropical Bisease.

ISpecial Cable to The Times-Dispatch.]

Lendon, March 25.—Fresh from the horor conferred upon him yesterday, when he received the degree of doctor of science from Oxford University, Surgeon-General Gorgas, who is the second American to be thus honored by the historic university, sailed for home today on the Kaiser Wilhelm H. Colonet Gorgas has been treated as a hero during his stay in England, because of his fame for conquering tropical diseases during the building of the Panama Canal.

"I em glad to be sailing home," he in the course of the Panama tolls de-bate. "He has never hesitated to spend his millions in endeavoring to inculcate a reciprocal feeling for Great Britain in the minds of the people of the United States."

Mr. Chamberkain's attack on Mr. Carnegie came as the climax to an hour of hot argument, during which Senator Jones, who also convesed a re-

# MRS. ASTOR RECOVERING

# KOEHLER TRIAL DELAYED

Court-Martial Will Reconvene This Moraing.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

New London, Come., March 25.—The court-martial of Major Koehler did not reconvene at Fort Terry to-day, notwithstanding the eleven officers who heard the testimony at the previous hearings had returned to Plum Island. The opening was postponed to Thursday morning.

Conflicting rumors as to the present status of the case are current. Some of these go so far as to assert that the coming court-martial will try certain officers who are alleged to have been at the bottom of preferring the charges against Major Koehler.

Given Privileged Position.

Washington, March 25.—The pending bill to regulate cotton grading was given a privileged position in the Senate to-day by being made the unfinished business. Senator Smith, of South Carolina, expects to call it up for debate to-morrow.

# **FACTS IN ULSTER** Conditions in Tobacce Trade. New York, March 25.—The four companies into which the tobacco trust was disintegrated by the decree of 1911, to-day were given until next Monday to present a plan for abandoning monopolistic practices which the Attorney-General considers are in violation of the decree. United States District Attorney Marshall told the attorneys of these companies at a conference, that the government intended to put an end to present conditions by injunction or other means, but promised to postpone action until Monday, at the request of the tobacco attorneys. The government is acting upon the complaint of certain independent dealers who charge that a monopoly of the jobbins business in this district, which was enfoined by the Métropolitan Tobacco Company, under the old trust, still exists, and that independent dealers are obliged to buy their tobacco at retail rates. The corporations represented at the conference were the American Tobacco, the Liggett & Myers, the R. J. Reynolds, the P. Lorillard and the Metropolitan Tobacco Commanies. Under the terms of the dissolution decree the Federal Court still retains jurisdiction of the tobacco trust case. A. C. L. WHARVES DESTROYED

Accepted-Fiery Denunciations of Military Aristocracy During De-

Fight Made by Both Sides.

Fire at Savannah Causes Damage Estimated at \$200,000.

Savannah, Cia, March 25.—Fire of inknown origin to-day caused damage estimated at \$200,000 to the rosin and colton wharves of the Atlantic Coast Line Cailread company here. The Britist Lane Cailread company here. The Britist Lane Cailread company here. The Britist Lane Cailread company here at Savannah Causes Damage Estimated at \$200,000.

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London, March 25.—The government to-day published its promised statement of its dealings with the revolting officers of the Third Cavalry brigade, and several housended barrels of rosin, discovered shortly after daylight, raged with the House of Commons held another company of the Foreign Relations Committee, has been ill for several weeks, and only to-day was able to be out and only to-day was able to be out for three heurs, and for a time endangered the cutire harbor from large was allently to-day published its promised statement of its dealings with the revolting of the House of Commons held another the House of Commons held another cuties harbor from the control of the cuties harbor from the House of Commons held another heart and disorderly session. The House of Commons held another heart and disorderly session. The House of Commons held another heart and disorderly session. The House of Commons held another heart and disorderly session. The House of Commons held another heart and t fames from reaching a near-by shed in which a large quantity of raw turpentine was stored.

The Farley, which lay slongside the burning wharves, caught free when a large chute, used in unloading ships, collapsed and fell across her bridge. They quickly extinguished the blage, and towed the Farley to a place of safety. The damage to her, it was said, was small. No other depots were endangered.

The Coast Line wharves were constructed only about a year ago to replace those destroyed by a destructive water-front fire.

MONTICELLO NOT FOR SALE ing advantage of this right to crush political opposition to the policy or the principles of the home rule bill." was given without the knowledge of the

Cabinet, and contrary to its polley.

The War Secretary tendered his resignation to Mr. Asquith, but the pre-mier refused to accept if. The gov-ernment has withdrawn Colonel Seely's guarantees, according to a statement by Viscount Morley in the House of Lords, and Sir Edward Grey told the House of Commons that the govern-ment's decision would be made known to General Gough to-morrow. Thus, the situation with respect to General Gough and his fifty-nine comrades, who sent in their papers, is still in a state

Important Revelations.

The most important revelations of the day were that the government did plan an important military and naval emonstation on Ulster. Winston Spencer Churchill, First Lord of the Admiralty, confirmed reports that he had ordered the third battle squadron and a torpedo flotilla to Irish waters, but explained that when the military arrangements had been carried out he countermanded the orders by wireless.

and is to be cut into a fountain. It is deed to be twenty feet in diameter.

UNIQUE TEA AT RIDING CLUB

Difficult Evolutions Performed by Pair Exertificates and Exerts. If was nighty time of him Club this afternoon, when fair equestive and was given at the Biding and Hunto Club this afternoon, when fair equestive in was triven at the Biding and Hunto Club this afternoon, when fair equestive in what was called a "music office."

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"If Andre GORGAS SAILS FOR AMERICA eral Gough's demand for a written assurance that the army would not be used to suppress the Covenanters.

"I em glad to be sailing home," he said, "although I have been entertained most hospitably both here and in South Africa."

to do in circumstances which had not arisen.

Sir Edward Grey spoke even more strongly. He said: force to whatever extent is required to make the will of the country prevail. That is a contingency which cannot arise for a long time, and we will labor to avert it."

Mrs. Brooks Says Sister Has Become
Christian Scientist.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
New York, March 25.—Mrs. Wallorf Astor has become a Christian Scientist, and is recovering from her illness. Hes. Reginald Brooks, her sister, tande the fact known to-day when she arrived from England on the Olympic.

"Mrs. Astor, I am sorry to say, has been very ill." said Mrs Brooks. "She has undergone two operations since the beginning of the year, and until a few weeks ago she failed to regain her strength. At that time she began to attend the Church of Christ, Scientist, Mrs. Astor is very faithful and sincere, and she is in carnest at all times. I am glad to say that she was much better when I said good-by a week ago."

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Muc' of the debate in the House of Commons to-night consisted of fiery denunciations of the military aristoctracy. Government members were placated by to-day's revelations, but there remains among Radicals and Laborites a strong and outspoken dissatisfaction with the whole affair. All talk of a compromise on the home rule bill for the time is suspended. Conservtives hold that the recent events have shown that no compromise is possible, except on the unconditional exclusion of Ulster, That is a long time.

Cabinet post is predicted, and the an-nouncement and acceptance of the res-ignations of General Paget and Gen-Court-Martial Will Reconvene This eral Gough would be no surprise J. Austen Chamberlain complained that the government had revealed

The did given by the army council to General lay.
Paget. It was inconceivable, he said, that when the Premier gave his state ment to the press on Sunday he knew that Mr. Churchill had ordered a battle squadron to Lamlash.

"The honor of the Prime Minister is at stake in this matter," he said. "And it is the First Lord of the Admiralty who has put it at stake."

Resignation Not Accepted.

Mr. Chamberlain declared 'PLUCKING' BOARD SUSTAINED known that the two paragraphs for which the Secretary for War assumed Bill to Restore Capt. Potts to Active List Killed by Senate Committee.

Washington, March 25.—The bill to restore Captain Templin M. Potts to the navy active list, and promote him to be a rear admiral was killed to-day by the Senate Naval Affairs Committee. Captain Potts was "plucked" on the eve of his promotion, and several naval officers of note testified that his case was an exceptional one. The committee decided the bill set a troublesome precedent.

Sole responsibility were prepared by him in consultation with Viscount Mortley, who was present throughout the proceedings in which the Cabinet have assented to their inclusion, he contended, unless the paragraphs were a fair interpretation of what the Cabinet had decided on, and the Premier would not accept Colonel Seely's resignation, because he only had done what the Cabinet members themselves had assented to.

M. Chuschill, vision said: "Lord sole responsibility were prepared by

had assented to.
Mr. Churchill, rising, said: "Lord Morley had no direct connection with the paragraphs referred to. He mere-ly happened to be with Colonel Seely in the Cabinet room when the dispatch to the Cabinet room was brought in. For that reason, and because he is cale